



## FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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| Application No.        | 09/820,509             |
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| Filing Date            | March 28, 2001         |
| First Named Inventor   | Huang                  |
| Art Unit               | 2143                   |
| Examiner Name          | Vaughn Jr., William C. |
| Attorney Docket Number | 5306P007               |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered). Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ii. ☐ Other iii. Enclosed  $\boxtimes$ ☑ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) Other Copies of cited references. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) 2. Miscellaneous Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required) ☐ Other The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No.  $\boxtimes$ 02-2666 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) and any additional claims fee(s) Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17) □ Check in the amount of \$790.00 enclosed Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosd) WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) 48,042 Name (Print/Type) Chui-Kiu Teresa Wong September 16, 2005 Date Signature CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. **September 16, 2005** 

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| Applicant claims small entity status. | See 37 CI | FR 1.27. |
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| 1255  | 2,160  | 2255        | 1,080       | Extension for reply within fifth month                           |          |  |  |
| 1401  | 500  | 2401        | 250         | Notice of Appeal   |          |  |  |
| 1402  | 500  | 2402        | 250         | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                           |          |  |  |
| 1403  | 1,000  | 2403        | 500         | Request for oral hearing   |          |  |  |
| 1451  | 1,510  | 2451        | 1,510       | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                    |          |  |  |
| 1460  | 130  | 2460        | 130         | Petitions to the Commissioner                                    |          |  |  |
| 1807  | 50   | 1807        | 50          | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)                              |          |  |  |
| 1806  | 180  | 1806        | 180         | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                        |          |  |  |
| 1809  | 790  | 1809        | 395         | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))    |          |  |  |
| 1810  | 790  | 2810        | 395         | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b)) |          |  |  |
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Xiaofei Huang

Application No.: 09/820,509

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Attorney Docket No.: 5306P007

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DIRECT

SERVER SYNCHRONIZATION WITH

A COMPUTING DEVICE

Examiner: Vaughn Jr., William C.

Art Unit: 2143

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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

In response to the final Office Action mailed June 17, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above referenced application. The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

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